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Mike Wetklow is a Branch Chief in OMB's Office of Federal Financial Management (OFFM). He joined OMB in 2011 and is responsible for leadership, policy, and implementation of OMB efforts to initiate government-wide financial management improvements. During his time at OMB, Mike:

- Reduced improper payments through the "Do Not Pay List;"
- Improved financial systems through shared services;
- Implemented the Government Charge Card Abuse Prevention Act; and
- Updated Appendix C to OMB Circular, No. A-123 to provide new tools to combat improper payments.

Currently, Mike is focused on updating OMB Circular No. A-123, Management's Responsibility for Internal Control and developing the Federal Government's first ever guidance on Enterprise Risk Management.

Prior to OMB, Mike spent eight years at the Department of Homeland Security where he had been the Department's first Director of the Internal Control Program Management Office. Mike received DHS top honors for eliminating pervasive material weaknesses and leading efforts to obtain the Department's first Balance Sheet opinion in FY 2011. Prior to DHS, he held several accounting and auditing positions at KPMG, the Government Accountability Office, and the Maryland Legislative Auditors Office.

Mike received his undergraduate degree in accounting and his graduate degree in public administration both from the University of Maryland at College Park. Mike is a Certified Public Accountant and Certified Government Financial Manager. With his wife Mai, Mike is the proud father of three sons, Ben, Marcus, and Mike Wetklow, Jr.